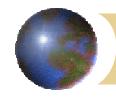
International Code Council Overview





International Conference of Building
Officials
Eric Makela





Who is ICC?







- A nonprofit organization formed in 1994 for the purpose of creating the single family of model building regulations, the International Codes®.
- Founding Members are: Building Officials and Code Administrators International, International Conference of Building Officials and Southern Building Code Congress International.



Why Was ICC Established?

- Develop and maintain a single set of comprehensive and coordinated codes without regional limitations – the *International Codes*™
- Coordinate related support activities, including training materials and manuals
- Address emerging technology and concepts and coordinate their treatment in codes and standards
- Incorporate performance-based concepts in codes and standards





Why a Single Building Code System?

- A movement towards a single code has been in the works for several years.
- Design professionals and building industry has called for a single code system.
- U.S. is only major country with a regional system. Most countries mandate a federal or national code system.





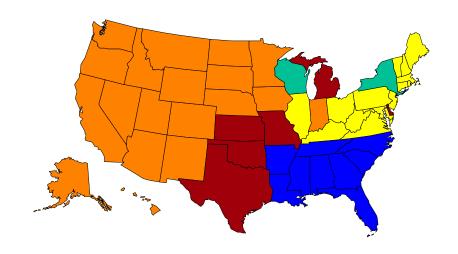
What Are the Advantages of a Single Code Series?

- Consistent requirements throughout the U.S. And the world.
- Standardized building products.
- Facilitates adoption of statewide codes.
- Uniform education and certification programs.
- Facilitates Performance-Based Code Development



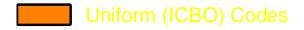


Geographic Influence - Before Single Code

















Geographic Influence - With single code



International Codes™





What has ICC Accomplished? Family of Coordinated Codes







What has ICC Accomplished? Current Family of Codes

- 2000 International Building Code®
- 2000 International Fire Code®
- 2000 International Residential Code®
- 2000 International Mechanical Code®
- 2000 International Plumbing Code®
- 2000 International Energy Conservation Code®





What Has ICC Accomplished? Current Family of Codes

- 2000 ICC Electrical Code®
- 2000 International Fuel Gas Code®
- 2000 International Private Sewage Disposal Code®
- 2000 International Property
 Maintenance Code®
- 2000 International Zoning Code®





What Has ICC Accomplished? ICC Certification Examinations

- Consolidation of Certification Exams
- Eleven ICC Examinations Currently Available
- Additional Fifteen Exams to be Phased in Over Next Two Years



2000 IECC Related Products

In the Works.....

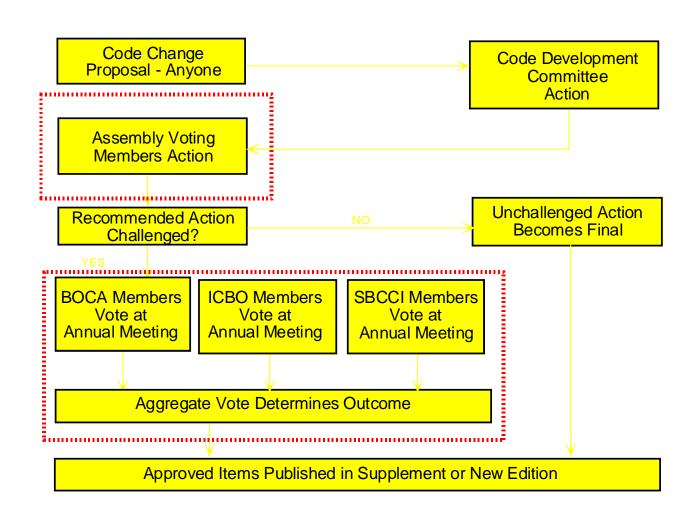
- Examinations
 - 2000 IECC Residential Exam
 - 2000 IECC Commercial Plan Review
 - 2000 IECC Commercial Field Inspection
- Commentary
 - 2000 IECC Commentary
- 2001 Supplement Published March, 2001





- Annual code development cycle.
- Open process where anyone can submit proposed changes.
- Public hearings where anyone can participate.
- Anyone can challenge committee actions.
- Anyone can file an appeal.

CC Code Development Process



IECC Code Development Process Status

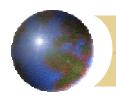
- 58 Code Change Proposals were submitted for the 2001 Code Development Cycle
- 19 were Approved As Submitted or As Modified and will be passed on for Final Action Consideration
- Public Comments Were Due on July 6, 2001



Who Submitted Code Changes?

- American Architectural Manufacturers Association
- Aspen Research Associates
- American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers
- City of Seattle
- Florida Solar Energy Center
- Minnesota Department of Commerce
- National Concrete Masonry Association
- National Renewable Energy Laboratory





Who Submitted Code Changes?

- National Sunroom Association
- New Buildings Institute
- New York Department of State, Codes Division
- Pilkington North America
- State of Wisconsin, Department of Commerce
- Texas Building Energy Institute
- U.S. Department of Energy





- Publication of Public Comments 8/13/01
- Annual Meetings BOCA/ICBO 9/15 to
 9/21/01 / SBCCI 10/28/ to 11/1/01
- Code Change Proposals Due 11/1/01 for 2002 Cycle
 - Code Change Moratorium for 2003

